

## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 543

By Herron

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Mandy Mansfield, 2007  
Valedictorian of Dresden High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Mandy Mansfield is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2007 graduating class at Dresden High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Mansfield has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Mandy has earned an exemplary grade point average; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her status as a stellar scholar, this exceptional young lady has earned numerous other accolades; as a member of DECA, she has proudly competed at the regional, state, and international levels of the organization; and

WHEREAS, a valuable participant in her school's activities and her community's affairs, Mandy is a member of several academic, social, and civic organizations, including the Beta Club, Interact Club, Science Club, FCCLA, and the Spanish Club; and

WHEREAS, a respected leader among her peers, she has served with distinction on the DHS Student Council; and

WHEREAS, Mandy is an active member of Southside Church of Christ in Dresden, where she graciously volunteers as a Vacation Bible School teacher; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Mansfield's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her success at Freed-Hardeman University, where she plans to major in accounting and business as a pre-law student; and

WHEREAS, Mandy's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Mark and Michelle Mansfield, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Mandy Mansfield's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and commend Mandy Mansfield, 2007 Dresden High School Valedictorian, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.